

VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE

IN THE CLAIMS:

The claim has been amended as follows:

7. (Amended) An organic electroluminescent material comprising a tertiary aryl amine containing 2 to 4 nitrogen atoms each forming a triarylamine, a material for an organic electroluminescent elemental device which is obtained by purifying the crude tertiary aryl amine containing as impurity compound (A) possessing one less nitrogen atom forming triarylamines and/or compound (B) possessing one more nitrogen atom forming diarylamino groups than said tertiary aryl amine and contains 1 wt% or less of compound (A) or 2 wt% or less of compound (B) [A process for preparing an organic electroluminescent material as described in any of claims 1-4 which comprises] which material is prepared by a process comprising

purifying by sublimation or distillation the tertiary aryl amine obtained by the reaction of a haloaryl compound containing one or more halogen atoms in the aromatic ring with an aryl amine in the presence of a catalyst until the tertiary aryl amine contains 1 wt% or less of compound (A) or 2 wt% or less of compound (B).